

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A framing for a window of a motor vehicle passenger compartment, the framing including a support face between an inside edge and an outside edge of the framing for being covered by the periphery of the window that is connected in a sealed manner to said outside edge, the framing including an arrangement on its window supporting face for receiving a light source and including a housing that is opened both towards the outside of the vehicle, and towards the inside of the vehicle, this housing being arranged to receive the light source in such a manner as to enable it to emit light out from the housing both towards the outside and towards the inside of the vehicle.

2. Framing according to claim 1, characterized in that the housing is closed, towards the inside of the vehicle, by a wall that is translucent or transparent, and possibly provided with a filter, so as to diffuse the light emitted by the light source towards the inside of the vehicle.

3. Framing according to claim 1, characterized in that the housing contains a moving reflector capable of taking up a first position in which it sends light rays emitted by the light source towards the outside of the vehicle through the window, and a second position in which it sends the light rays towards the inside of the passenger compartment.

4. A motor vehicle tailgate, characterized in that it includes framing according to claim 3, the reflector taking up its first position when the tailgate is closed and its second position when the tailgate is open, the moving reflector being moved between its two positions by opening and closing the tailgate.